

CANADA

CHAPTER 2.

An Act to authorize the control of Aeronautics.

SHORT TITLE.

1. This Act may be cited as the *Aeronautics Act*. R.S., Short title. c. 3, s. 1.

PART I.

1944-45, c. 28, s. 1.

INTERPRETATION.

2. In this Part, "Minister" means the Minister of Transport or such other Minister as the Governor in Council may from time to time designate, except that in any matter relating to defence, "Minister" means the Minister of National Defence. 1950, c. 23, s. 1.

3. It is the duty of the Minister

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Minister.
- (a) to supervise all matters connected with aeronautics;
 - (b) to undertake, and to co-operate with persons undertaking, such projects, technical research, study or investigation as in his opinion will promote the development of aeronautics in Canada;
 - (c) to construct and maintain all Government aerodromes and air stations, including all plant, machinery and buildings necessary for their efficient equipment and upkeep;
 - (d) to control and manage all aircraft and equipment necessary for the conduct of any of Her Majesty's services;
 - (e) to operate such services as the Governor in Council may approve;
 - (f) to prescribe aerial routes;
 - (g) to co-operate with other officers of Her Majesty, and to assist in the carrying out of any services under their jurisdiction that may require aerial work of any nature, and to collaborate with the officers employed in existing air services of Her Majesty in such extension of their present work as the development of aeronautics may require;